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Prior to examination on the merits, kindly amend the application as follows:

N.E. Kindly cancel claims 1 - 15 in favor of new claims 16 - 33.

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In The Claims

16. (New) A process for the transfer of a graphics image to a fabric substrate, said process comprising:

- (a) providing a computer-readable file corresponding to said graphics image;
- (b) inputting said computer-readable file to an ink-jet printer, said printer containing at least one ink cartridge containing a fusible polymer ink;
- (c) printing said design onto a substrate optionally coated with a release coating, but free of fusible polymer, to form a graphics image-containing surface with ink from said at least one ink cartridge; and

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